HOUSE No. 2131

By Mr. Toomey of Cambridge, petition of Timothy J. Toomey, Jr. and others for legislation to allow motor vehicles to be immobilized to reduce incidence of drunk driving. Transportation.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

PETITION OF:

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In the Year Two Thousand and Five.

AN ACT TO ALLOW FOR MOTOR VEHICLES TO BE IMMOBILIZED TO REDUCE INCIDENTS OF DRUNK DRIVING.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 24 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as
- 2 appearing in the 2002 Official Edition, is amended in section 4
- 3 (c)(1), at line 316, by adding after the word "necessary" the
- 4 following:—
- 5 "; provided further, that said person shall, as a condition of
- 6 receiving a hardship license, be required to install and use an
- 7 interlock device, so-called, on any motor vehicle that the person
- 8 operates."
- 1 SECTION 2. Section 24 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as
- 2 appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is further amended in
- 3 section 4 (c)(2), at line 345, by adding after the word "necessary"
- 4 the following:—

5 "; provided further, that said person shall, as a condition of 6 receiving a hardship license, be required to install and use an 7 interlock device, so-called, on any motor vehicle that the person 8 operates."

SECTION 3. Section 24 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is further amended in section 4 (c)(3), at line 374, by adding after the word "necessary" the following:—

5 "; provided further, that said person shall, as a condition of 6 receiving a hardship license, be required to install and use an 7 interlock device, so-called, on any motor vehicle that the person 8 operates."

SECTION 4. Section 24 of chapter 90 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 1998 Official Edition, is further amended in section 4 (c) (3½), at line 400, by adding after the word "necessary" the following:—

5 "; provided further, that said person shall, as a condition of 6 receiving a hardship license, be required to install and use an 7 interlock device, so-called, on any motor vehicle that the person 8 operates."